

July 3.

**Boston.**

Sch. Jennie and Maud, 1600 cod.  
 Sch. Olive F. Hutchins, 15,000 haddock,  
 6000 cod, 6000 hake.  
 Sch. Buena, 1000 haddock, 12,000 cod.  
 Steamer Bessie M. Dugan, 2400 large fresh  
 mackerel.  
 Sch. Fannie Reed, 54 swordfish.  
 Sch. Appomattox, 18,000 cod.  
 Haddock, \$1.50 per cwt.; large cod, \$2 to  
 \$2.25; market cod, \$1.50 to \$1.60; fresh  
 mackerel, 17 cts. each; swordfish, 6 cts. per  
 lb.

July 6.

## HADDOCKER RUN DOWN.

Sch. Miranda Sunk Sch. Julia  
Costa Last Night.

### MEN ON BOARD WERE RESCUED

Twelve of Crew Were Out Hauling  
Trawls at Time.

A special to the Times this morning from  
its Provincetown correspondent gives the  
news of a collision at sea between two fish-  
ing vessels, one of which was sunk. No  
lives were lost at the time of the collision,  
but out on the fishing grounds are 12 men  
who are probably searching in vain, in the  
fog, for their vessel, not knowing and little  
dreaming that she lies on bottom.

The despatch state that sch. Julia Costa  
was run into last night off Highland light,  
by sch. Miranda and sent to bottom. Six of  
sch. Julia Costa's dories were out at the  
time of the accident, but the balance of her  
crew, which were on board when the col-  
lision occurred, were picked off by sch. Mi-  
randa and taken into Provincetown and  
landed.

Sch. Julia Costa was one of the Province-  
town haddocking fleet and had a crew of 23  
men, carrying 10 double dories. Sch. Mi-  
randa hails from this port and is engaged in  
mackerel seining under command of Capt.  
Augustus G. Hall.

Sch. Julia Costa must have had her dories  
out for a night set, and four had evidently  
got their gear and come on board before the  
accident leaving six dories containing 12  
men still out on their trawls when the acci-  
dent happened which sent the haddocker to  
bottom. Sch. Miranda must have brought in  
11 of the Costa's crew.

It is thought in the absence of particulars,  
that the accident must have occurred in the  
fog, as it has been foggy over that way for a  
week.

The weather is fine today and as the ves-  
sels do not fish very far off the land, it is be-  
lieved that the missing dories will reach  
Provincetown all right, during the day.

Sch. Julia Costa was 107.33 tons gross,  
101.97 tons net, built at Essex in 1888, and  
owned by Capt. Joseph Manta of Province-  
town.

July 6.

**BIG WORK.**

### Nova Scotia Schooner Seined 300,000 Pounds Salt Pollock.

The Nova Scotia sch. Ida M. Clarke ar-  
rived at Lockeport, N. S., on Thursday with  
a large trip of 300,000 pounds of salt pollock  
caught with the purse seine in the vicinity  
of Sable Island.

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**Swordfish Plenty.**

Swordfish are in big receipt at T wharf,  
Boston, today, there being nine of the fleet  
there with fares ranging from 45 to 92 fish,  
sch. Nokomis being high line with the latter  
amount. There were 650 fish in the lot.

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**Squid in Plenty.**

A. Hughes of North Truro wires the  
Times that there was a big catch of squid at  
the wires there today.

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**Whales Off Egg Rock.**

Tug Joseph W. Ross of Boston, which ar-  
rived at this port this forenoon, reports a  
school of about 40 whales playing off Half-  
way Rock. Good sign of mackerel that.

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**Western Halibut.**

Nine cars of Pacific halibut are at Boston  
today.

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**MANY SEINERS IN**

But Mostly To Land Salt Mackerel  
and Repair Seines.

Two Fresh Fares at Boston Struck a  
Fancy Market.

A large fleet of the seiners are in port this  
morning. They report that it has been a  
dungeon of fog on the Rips for a whole week  
and that very few fish have been taken.  
Some are home to land their salt fish, and  
others to repair their seines before starting for  
Georges.

Of the seiners in here this morning sch.  
Clintonia has 117 barrels of salt mackerel,  
sch. Francis J. O'Hara, Jr., 80 barrels, Ju-  
no, 52 barrels, and Rob Roy, 80 barrels.

The fare of sch. Clintonia sold to William  
H. Jordan & Co. and that of sch. Rob Roy  
to the Gorton-Pew Fisheries Co.

Sch. Pontiac is at Boston this morning  
with seven barrels of salt mackerel.

Sch. Mary T. Fallon is at Boston this  
morning with 3000 large fresh mackerel and  
41 barrels of salt mackerel.

Sch. Terra Nova, Capt. John Hickey, is  
at Boston this morning with 8000 large fresh  
mackerel taken Thursday on the Rips.

Fresh mackerel brought a fancy price at  
T wharf, Boston, today, schs. Terra Nova,  
Indiana and Mary T. Fallon getting 23 cents  
apiece for the fish of their fares.

About 30 sail of the seining fleet were re-  
ported anchored off Chatham Saturday.  
Quite a number of the seiners harbored at  
Provincetown on Saturday.

Steamer Bessie M. Duggan reports a big  
lot of sharks on the Rips.

Sloop Mystic Belle, Kittery Point, Capt.  
Thomas Crawley, formerly of this city, has  
arrived home from the Block Island mackerel  
fishing grounds, and it is claimed that the  
craft is high line of the "mosquito fleet,"  
the little fellows, out there this season.

The captain of sch. Marjorie Turner re-  
ports coming up along the Maine coast by  
Mt. Desert Rock and Matineus and saw no  
mackerel.

The Canadian Fish Bureau of Thursday  
report from 5 to 16 barrels of mackerel being  
taken daily at Yarmouth. Mackerel were  
reported very plenty at Escuminac, and Ship-  
pegan.

July 6.

**DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.****Today's Arrivals and Receipts.**

Sch. Effie M. Morrissey, Bay of Fundy,  
200,000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Sch. Marjorie Turner, Bay of Fundy,  
100,000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Sch. Gertrude, Rips, 30,000 lbs. salt cod.  
Sch. Patriot, Rips, 55,000 lbs. salt cod.  
Sch. Rob Roy, Rips, 80 bbls. salt mack-  
erel.  
Sch. Volant, Rips, 35,000 lbs. salt cod.  
Sch. Norman Fisher, Rips, 45,000 lbs. salt  
cod.  
Sch. Jubilee, Rips, 45,000 lbs. salt cod.  
Sch. Kineo, Georges, 8000 lbs. halibut,  
12,000 lbs. salt cod, 40,000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Sch. Monarch, seining.  
Sch. Metamora, seining.  
Sch. George Parker, seining.  
Sch. Francis J. O'Hara, Jr., Rips, 80  
bbls. salt mackerel.  
Sch. Juno, Rips, 52 bbls. salt mackerel.  
Sch. Priscilla Smith, seining.  
Sch. Harmony, seining.  
Sch. Clintonia, Rips, 117 bbls. salt mack-  
erel.  
Steamer Pet, shore.  
Steamer Independence, shore, 12,000 lbs.  
pollock.  
Steamer Lyda F., shore, 15,000 lbs. pol-  
lock.

July 6.

**Today's Fish Market.**

Round pollock, 75 cts. per cwt.; gutted 80  
cents.  
Salt bank cod, large \$3.75, mediums, \$3.  
Salt Rips, cod, large, \$4, mediums, \$3.10;  
snapper \$2.  
Salt Georges cod, large, \$4.25, mediums,  
\$3.25.  
Salt pollock, \$1.50; salt haddock, \$1.50.  
Bank halibut, 4 cts. per lb., right through.  
Cape Shore salt mackerel, \$9.50 per bbl.  
Fresh mackerel, 15 cts. each for large  
and 8 cents for mediums.  
Splitting prices for fresh fish, Western cod,  
large, \$2; mediums, \$1.50; Cape North cod,  
large, \$1.90; medium, \$1.45; Peak cod large,  
\$1.75; medium, \$1.37 1-2; cusk, \$1.60;  
haddock, \$1.00; hake, 80 cts.; pollock, 75  
to 80 cts.  
Rips salt mackerel, \$10.00 per bbl.

**Boston.**

Sch. Terra Nova, 8000 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Pontiac, 7 bbls. salt mackerel.  
Sch. Mary T. Fallon, 3000 fresh mackerel,  
41 bbls. salt mackerel.  
Sch. Eva and Mildred, 79 swordfish.  
Sch. Sylvia M. Nunan, 64 swordfish.  
Sch. Alice M. Guthrie, 12,000 haddock,  
18,000 cod, 12,000 hake.  
Sch. Rose Dorothea, 6000 haddock, 30,000  
cod.  
Sch. Hattie F. Knowlton, 4000 haddock,  
3000 cod.  
Sch. Olivia Sears, 30 swordfish.  
Sch. Fish Hawk, 20,000 cod.  
Sch. Dixie, 2000 haddock, 1000 cod, 2000  
cusk.  
Sch. Margaret Dillon, 17,000 haddock, 15,  
000 cod.  
Sch. Genesta, 8000 haddock, 7000 cod.  
Sch. Nokomis, 92 swordfish.  
Sch. Louisa R. Sylva, 5000 haddock, 30,  
000 cod, 3000 pollock.  
Sch. Wantanga, 54 swordfish.  
Sch. Mary B. Greer, 3000 haddock, 4000  
cod, 1000 hake, 4 swordfish.  
Sch. Muriel, 13,000 haddock, 15,000 cod,  
10,000 hake.  
Sch. Arbitrator, 4000 haddock, 24,000 cod,  
5000 pollock.  
Sch. Mina Swim, 35,000 cod.  
Sch. Frances Whalen, 50,000 haddock, 12,  
000 cod, 9000 hake.  
Sch. Indiana, 500 large fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Julietta, 45 swordfish.  
Sch. Valentina, 77 swordfish.  
Sch. Yankee, 4500 haddock, 10,000 cod.  
Sch. Dorothy, 17,000 cod.  
Sch. Mary E. Sennitt, 79 swordfish.  
Sch. Emily Cooney, 76 swordfish.  
Sch. Elva L. Spurling, 14,000 haddock,  
8000 cod.  
Sch. Edith Silveira, 15,000 haddock, 20,000  
cod.  
1 Haddock, \$1.50 to \$2.25 per cwt.; large  
cod, \$2 to \$2.50; market cod, \$1.50 to \$1.60;  
pollock, \$1 to \$1.25; swordfish, 5c per lb.;  
fresh mackerel, 23c each.

July 7.

**WHALES ARE PLENTY.**

Dove Under Gloucester Steamer Up  
Off Egg Rock.

Little Boston Towboat Nearly Struck  
On Friday.

The captains of steamers making the port  
of Boston the past few days have reported  
seeing huge schools of whales in the bay.  
The leviathans are very bold and have been  
passed as close in as Egg rock. Capt. H.  
M. Godfrey of the steamer Cape Ann and  
Capt. Albert Ober of the steamer City of  
Gloucester report that they have passed very  
close to the whales. On the down trip of  
the City of Gloucester Saturday one of the  
monsters dived under the vessel amidships  
and came up on the opposite side spouting  
water.

It is many years since whales have been  
seen in these waters in such numbers. They  
range from 30 to 50 feet in length, and some  
of them are described as veterans.

Capt. Edward B. Wennerberg, formerly  
of this city, of the Ross towboat fleet of  
Boston, tells of an experience he had with  
the whales last Friday evening off Egg Rock.  
Four big ones were chasing herring or  
mackerel and paid so little attention to his  
tugboat that one of them came within a few  
feet of her bow, and it was only by quick  
steering that the little towboat was sheered  
off in time to avoid a collision that would  
have been more disastrous to the towboat  
than to the whale. On Saturday he passed  
another whale nearer Gloucester.



July 7.  
**MACKEREL ON GEORGES.**

**But Dungeon of Fog There Is Both-  
ering the Fleet.**

**South Shoal Wireless Reports Hauls  
Made There Yesterday.**

A wireless dispatch from the South Shoal lightship late yesterday afternoon reports mackerel schooling there all day and that several seiners made hauls and were seen with their jibs down. The skippers think that the medium fish which they lost run off some time ago, 20 or 25 miles northeast of the lightship are now showing near the lightship.

No mackerel are reported at Boston today. Sch. Lottie G. Merchant, Capt. John Barry, arrived here this morning with 55 barrels of salt mackerel.

Schs. Esperanto and Miranda are also in port with no fish.

Capt. Barry reports taking a cruise to Georges in company with sch. Hattie M. Graham. They encountered a dungeon of fog and had little chance to do much fishing or have a good look about, but found some fish, which were wild, 130 miles southeast of Highland light. The Graham also set and stopped a few fish.

The catch of salt mackerel to date is about 15,225 barrels, against about 10,000 barrels at this time last year.

The fresh mackerel catch to date is about 33,000 barrels against 31,600 barrels at this time last year.

Two barrels of tinker mackerel reached Boston from Cape Cod yesterday. They went 60 pounds per 100 fish in count.

The Magdalene island catch is estimated at 2000 barrels to July 3.

July 7.  
**BIG SPRING FISHING.**

**Lunenburg Catch Doubled But 10  
Fishermen Were Drowned.**

The close of the spring fishing season for the fleet of vessels operating from Lunenburg N. S., and nearby harbors, shows a total catch of more than double that of last year, and amounting to 42,053 quintals. Estimating an average price of \$4.75 a quintal for the season, this represents more than \$200,000 to be distributed among the owners and crews of the 56 vessels which composed this spring's fleet. Last year but 25 vessels engaged in the spring fishing.

The season, however, has been a disastrous one for the crews, 10 men losing their lives. This is the largest number on record.

July 7.  
**HAS DONE WELL.**

**Little Steamer Pet Stocked \$1600  
in Two Weeks.**

The little steamer Pet, Capt. George P. Davis, engaged in shore seining, has been in clover the past two weeks. She was over in Barnstable Bay and off Provincetown and seined pollock, blue backs and shad, which ever came handy, baiting several vessels besides landing some trips at Provincetown and in the 14 days she was over there got the splendid stock of \$1600, which is big work in this fishery.

July 7.  
**Squid Struck at Provincetown.**

An immense school of squid visited Provincetown harbor last week, not only bringing easy money to the fishermen and helping to fill the cold storage plants, but affording great sport to the summer visitors. These latter, clad in oilskins and long boots, unmindful of the showers of spray and the inky fluid ejected by this peculiar fish, pull them in by hundreds and highly enjoy the sport.

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**Boston.**

Sch. Florida, 70 swordfish.  
Sch. Lafayette, 83 swordfish.  
Sch. Flavilla, 1800 haddock, 15,000 cod, 1000 pollock.  
Sch. Vanessa, 45,000 haddock, 15,000 cod, 1000 hake.  
Sch. Nettie Franklin, 2200 haddock, 43,000 cod, 4000 pollock.  
Sch. Richard J. Nanan, 96 swordfish.  
Sch. Eva Avina, 200 haddock, 500 cod, 400 pollock.  
Haddock, \$1.75 per cwt.; large cod, \$2; market cod, \$1.75; swordfish, 6 1-4 cts. per lb.

July 8.  
**ANOTHER BIG HAUL.**

**For the Mackerel Seiner Thomas J.  
Carroll Today.**

Sch. Thomas J. Carroll, Capt. Charles Forbes, is at Boston this noon, with a small fare 10,000 large fresh mackerel, selling at 23 cents each and 4000 fresh medium mackerel selling at 15 cents each. The fish were taken on the Rips, off Sankaty Head, close in, from 8 to 4 fathoms of water.

July 8.  
**THE FISHERIES QUESTION.**

**Will Not Be Presented at the Hague  
This Year.**

**Herring Fishery Will Again Be Con-  
ducted Under Modus Vivendi.**

A despatch from Washington, D.C., says: "Contrary to the hope of the officials of the state department it will not be possible to submit the disputed fisheries question between the United States and Canada to The Hague arbitration court for settlement this year."

"Under the arbitration treaty between the United States and foreign governments, ratified by the senate, the last named body is required to give its assent to the specific issues arbitrated."

"These issues in the fishery question could be submitted to the senate when it meets in December so that it will be next year before the matter can be brought to The Hague."

"A despatch from The Hague says that according to information current in circles connected closely with the court of arbitration, it has been practically settled that the fisheries question will be submitted to the court."

For a long time it has been understood here that the Newfoundland fisheries question would not go to the Hague until 1909, and that the herring fishery of the coming fall and winter would be conducted under a modus vivendi.

July 8.  
**GOT FANCY PRICE.**

**Sch. Saladin Struck Mackerel Bo-  
nanza on Small Fare.**

**Fish Sold in Boston at 26 Cents for  
Large and 16 Cents for Small.**

Sch. Saladin, Capt. Benj. A. Spurling, is at Boston today with a fare of good fresh mackerel, mostly large, which will net a fine stock, the fish selling at 26 cents each for large and 16 cents each for mediums, the highest price of the season since the first few small lots shipped to New York from the south.

The fare of salt mackerel of sch. Mary T. Fallon sold at Boston yesterday to L. A. Treat & Co., at \$9.37 1-2 per barrel.

July 8.  
**Corporation Returns.**

Bay State Fishing Company, F. C. Dumanie, treasurer. Capital stock, \$100,000. Assets, steam trawler Spray and equipment \$81,000, cash and debts receivable \$33,362, total \$114,362; liabilities, capital stock \$100,000, accounts payable \$8000, profit and loss \$6362, total \$114,362.

J. H. Rowe Co., Edward W. Swan, treasurer. Capital stock, \$25,000. Assets, machinery \$583, cash and debts receivable \$11,658, manufacturer and merchandise \$18,920 profit and loss \$1810, total \$32,971; liabilities, capital stock \$25,000, accounts payable \$7971, total \$32,971.

July 8.  
**Good Trip.**

Sch. Claudia, Capt. Alfred Johnson, is in this morning with a fine trip, 80,000 pounds of fresh cusk, 15,000 pounds of salt fish and 5000 pounds of halibut.

July 8.  
**DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.**

**Today's Arrivals and Receipts.**

Sch. Claudia, Georges, 80,000 lbs. fresh cucks, 15,000 lbs. salt fish, 5000 lbs. halibut.  
Sch. Edward A. Rich, Rips, 35,000 lbs. salt cod.  
Sch. Aloha, seining.  
Steamer Elthier, shore, 100 bbls. bluebacks.  
Steamer Water Witch, shore, 140 bbls. bluebacks.  
Sch. Charles A. Dyer, shore, 130 bbls. bluebacks.

July 7.  
**RAN INTO TRAP.**

**Sixty Foot Whale Made Things Hum  
in Provincetown Harbor.**

Right on the tail of schools of herring and squid, which appeared at Provincetown harbor after a veritable dearth of bait fishes of weeks long duration, a 60-foot whale Thursday afternoon burst violently into the floating trap of John O'Neill at the head of the harbor and for a full hour had possession.

Time was, and not so many years ago, when the self snaring of a whale in the harbor would have quickly been succeeded by the launching of a half dozen well equipped whale boats and the whirlwind rush of some one of the number in the wake of the fastened mammal.

But not a boat of any kind put off to the attack today. It is a pity, too, for a living prize worth \$3000 just offered itself a sacrifice to some expert bomb gun wielder, the whale being of the "right" species, with mouth crammed with "bones" worth dollars per pound.

When the whale tired of its novel but cramped quarters it went ahead under full steam against the netting, burst the meshes asunder and sped straight for the open sea.

July 7.  
**POWER MEN COMBINE.**

**T Wharf Dory Fishermen Organize  
for Mutual Benefit.**

The power dory fishermen who daily puff away from T wharf, Boston, have organized for their mutual protection and benefit.

The name of the combine is St. Peter's society, and Michael Graffe is the first president.

The new organization starts with a membership of 85, and several applications are to be acted upon at the next meeting. The members own their boats and all are prosperous. One of the benefits is the payment of \$10 per week to sick members.

While primarily a mutual organization it is the aim of the society to exert its influence in regulating that part of the fishing industry in which their countrymen are engaged. For example, the new organization has gone on record as opposing Sunday fishing on the part of the dorymen.